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In response to the Office Action of August 10, 1999, wherein the Office required application to elect between one of two groups, i.e.

Group I: claims 1-13 and 21-23

and Group II: claims 14-20

applicant hereby elects **Group I**, with traverse. If there are any questions concerning the above, please contact the undersigned at 540-653-8061.

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